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BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS THROUGH)
MULTIPLE AND DIVERSE DISTRIBUTION)
AND PRODUCT ORDER CHANNELS)

SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.113

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Dear Sir:

The remarks and amendments are resubmitted in their entirety in response to the communications mailed December 17, 2004 and March 22, 2005. Claims 34-39 are indicated as being withdrawn. The arguments regarding the improper nature of the withdrawal remains for review and comment by the Office.

Applicants submit herewith a request for a 3-month extension of time measured from the 12/17/2004 mailing date of document 20041210.

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